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Manatee, May 3rd 78,

Dr Asa Gray

My dear Sir,

I send
by to-day's steamer a set of my
S. Fl. plants collected for you -
I delay some time to correct
errors on the labels yet more
remain uncorrected than I like
and specimens being boxed I will
note such changes here as I
would like to make on the labels
were they now conveniently accessible

Aspidium unitum = *A. Thelypteris*. - but *unitum* I also

Juncus aquatica = *J. myrt. foliig. mult.* I think

Ludwigia cylindrica = same with a? having yellow petals

73 *Cardamine* = *Rastertium officinale* - 2 rows of seeds not clear

Pinus australis = perhaps *P. Elliottii*, L. & G.

Paspalum praecox = perhaps *laeve*.

no 229 = *Sporobolus micrantha*, Decaisne.

80 = *Malvestrum Americanum*, L.

Aster concinnus = *A. concinctor*.

Papaveria, I misinterpreted and see you wrote it "*P. magnoliae* (Epling)"
Others in which I am in doubt you will select the error
and correct me I hope.

I found a few days since
Chapmania rather abundant thro'
the high pine woods along Sarabota
Bay but is not yet in fl and what are
orange and not yellow as given in D. Fl.
I will remember and endeavor to stem
seed when it ripens. The Bletia I
broke has reached you and is in
flower now for your study.

The Epidendrum, if undetermined by
Jell I may again meet it in fl,
but all I could do would be to attempt
sketch of fl, in nature. I doubt whether it
could be sent north, living and brought
to fl there.

I am now making arrangements
for a 6 mos cruise around the coast
from here to north end of Biscayne Bay and
and back in the fall, going up the
rivers and str of the mainland as far
as possible, I observed last year on the
Miami, Little, and Hillsboro rivers after striking
purely fresh water there appeared considerable
change in the vegetation, so that in going
up and down streams I will have the advantage
of meeting plants of fresh water habit - the true
swamp-plants and the saline or coast plants.
I will secure a little boat to-morrow and
start soon with a man accompanying me.
But whether I can succeed will depend
upon my health - and the escape of accident.
I will retain my present address

and keep this Postmaster - advised of my
movements and have mail matter forwarded
or retained as will be most practicable,

Yours Very Truly

A. P. Garbar,